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General Alfred M. Gruenther Supreme Commander Allied Powers Europe APO 55, Postmaster New York, New York

Dear Al:

It was good to receive your letter of June 27 concerning the matter. I appreciate your taking the time to have the talk with and bringing your thoughts to my attention.

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one. As you know we have been a knotty and contentious one. As you know we have been of continuing help to him and in close touch with him. We have new decided to give him the additional support he requests for the present and I hope we can resolve our relationships on a more permanent basis before the end of this year. I am attaching for your information a copy of the letter which I have dispatched to

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Sometime after Congress adjourns I am planning a trip to Europe and hope to have the opportunity to sit down with you for a good talk.

Faithfully,

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Allen W. Dulles Director

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